

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE****METHOD, APPARATUS, AND PROGRAM FOR FINDING AND NAVIGATING  
TO ITEMS IN A SET OF WEB PAGES**

5 A mechanism is provided for highlighting items of  
interest in a set of web pages. The link highlighting  
mechanism may retrieve and examine web pages referenced  
by the instant web page. In this manner, the link  
highlighting mechanism may crawl through a set of web  
pages and highlight links that direct the user to the  
10 item of interest. The link highlighting mechanism may  
also record a user's click sequence to determine the most  
recently or most frequently visited links. The mechanism  
may then highlight the most recently or most frequently  
visited links to allow easy and quick navigation to items  
15 that are of particular interest to the user. The user  
may also enter properties of an item of interest, such as  
a file type or link type. The link highlighting  
mechanism examines a web page for items and links that  
match the property. If the user is using a mobile  
20 computing device or is otherwise operating with limited  
bandwidth, the highlighting mechanism may reside on a  
server. Thus, the server may transmit only the item of  
interest unless otherwise instructed by the user.

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